

	Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation NOTICE OF CHANGE TO DEPARTMENT OPERATIONS MANUAL REGULATION AND POLICY DIRECTIVES Chapter 1, Article 6	Transmittal Letter Number: 08-05
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The purpose of this document is to provide all Department Operations Manual (DOM) holders with information regarding the attached revision to Chapter 1, Article 6, Regulation and Policy Directives. The content of this Article, last revised in January of 1990, incorporates the following three legacy Administrative Bulletins (AB):

- AB 92-4, Agreement between CCPOA and Department of Corrections allowing access to DOM Subchapter 55000, issued February 7, 1992.
- AB 94-1, Establishment of the Forms Management Functions within Central Office, issued February 4, 1994.
- AB 96-3, Approval of Department Operations Manual and Bulletins, issued March 28, 1996.

The revisions to Chapter 1, Article 6 also include updates to division names and position titles which occurred during the Department reorganization in 2005. In addition, Chapter 5, Article 2, Supplement Process, that discusses local supplements to statewide DOM policy, has been relocated to Chapter 1, Article 6. Chapter 5, Article 2 is now “unassigned.” Future DOM policy related to Custody and Security Operations will be assigned to this Article number as needed.

DOM, Chapter 1, Article 6 establishes those documents used to officially convey the Department’s statewide rules and operational policies. Regulations contained in the Title 15, California Code of Regulations, have the force of law and draw their authority from statute. DOM articles and ABs are the Department’s operational procedures and they derive their authority from regulations and statute.

Please inform all persons concerned of the contents of this Notice, which shall be maintained and the information contained in this document utilized, until it is incorporated into the next edition of the DOM. If you have any questions, please contact Timothy M. Lockwood, Chief Regulation and Policy Management Branch, at (916) 341-7390.

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